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SUBJ: TEXACO/MOBIL COMPENSATION CLAIMS

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1. AMBASSADOR SPOKE JANUARY 23 TO IMPERIAL COURT MINISTER
ROGER HUBERT, WHO IS IN CHARGE OF COMPENSATION NEGOTIATIONS
WITH TEXACO/MOBIL. HUBERT SAID THAT MOBIL MESSAGE HAD BEEN
RECEIVED. WEEK OF JANUARY 23-30 WAS NOT CONVENIENT FORNGOCAE
AND REPLY HAD BEEN SENT DIRECTLY TO MOBIL PROPOSING DATES IN
FEBRUARY. HE DID NOT REMEMBER PRECISE DATES BUT PROMISED
TO INFORM EMBASSY OF THEM LATER.

2. ON BASIS OF DOUALA 45, AMBASSADOR ALSO INFORMED HUBERT
OF TEXACO REP'S WILLINGNESS TO COME TO BANGUI IN LATE FEBRUARY,
SPECIFICALLY FEBRUARY 21-24. HUBERT SAID HE WOULD LIKE TO
RECSIVDNOFFICIAL PROPOSAL, ALTHOUGH HE THOUGHT THOSE DATES
WOULD NOT BE SUITABGE. FYI: FEB 22 IS EMPEROR'S BIRTHDAY
AND DAYS SURROUNDING IT ARE USUALLY RESERVED FOR OFFICIAL
FUNCTIONS AND INAUGURATIONS. SUGGEST TEXACO CONTACT GOCAE
DIRECTLY TO PROPOSE ALTERNATE DATSS. TWO-DAY VISIT BDFORE
ARRIVAL OF MCKINLEY MIGHT BE USEFUL, BUT TEXACO COULD NOT
REASONABLY EXPECT TO TIE UP COMPLEX COMPENSATION PROBLEMS IN
SUCH A SHORT VISIT.QUAINTON
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